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# LAST EDITION. NOW FOR THE BIG BATTLE.

Wretched Conditions at Man-  
hattan Field for the  
Football Match.

## SAWDUST HELPS A LITTLE.

Felloesmen Early on Hand and  
Proceed to Make Their Po-  
sition Comfortable.

## RAIN DAMPENS ENTHUSIASM.

Depressing Influence of the Weather  
Manifested in the Absence of Pre-  
liminary Lung Exercise.

(Special to The Evening World.)

MANHATTAN FIELD, NEW YORK, Dec. 1, 1894.—It only needed the addition of that drizzling rain which set in about 12.30 o'clock, to make the conditions about as unfavorable as they could well be. When at noon the big gates of Manhattan Field were thrown open the smallest crowd ever seen at the entrance on the occasion of a college football game was assembled.

Hardly a thousand people passed through the gates before 12.30 o'clock, and the deserted appearance of the grand stands served to dampen the enthusiasm of the few "fends" who were on hand early more than the nasty weather.

A more wretched spectacle than the gridiron presented would be hard to imagine. An effort had been made to clear off the soggy mantle of snow which covered the field this morning, and a dozen men with big bags of sawdust scattered it around and did their best to cover up the little swamps which were scattered at intervals all over the field.

Supt. Byrnes carried out his threat to have policemen on the ground ready to jump in and stop the game at the first sign of any slugging. Inspector Conlin was in charge of the 300 policemen, each of whom had a trouble look on his face, which was explained by one of the "coppers" thus:

"When it comes time for us to take a hand we wonder if we will be in it." Everything that the management could do to lessen the discomfort of the crowd was very little at best. A load of clean straw had been hauled out on the field and part of it was spread around the outside of the fence for the benefit of the dejected-looking individuals who gathered there.

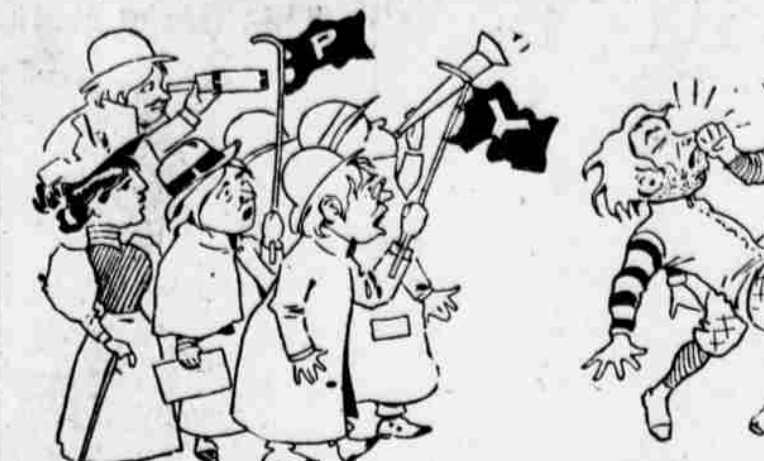


NOT QUITE BUNCO.

The pile of straw which had been provided for the reporters was promptly appropriated by the policemen who were stationed inside the field fence, so that the poor scribes, at their little pine tables at the south side of the field, had to put their feet where they best could. At 1 o'clock it looked as if there would be less than 15,000 people on the ground when the game opened. This didn't make any difference to the management, however. Charles F. Mathewson said that every one of the 15,000 seats in the stands had been sold, and that all the admission tickets, which had been limited to 5,000, were sold.

Up to the time the teams arrived at the grounds there was a noticeable lack of the old boisterous spirit which usually enlivens the hour before the game begins. The cold was searching and the attendant drizzling rain served further.

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# UNNECESSARY ROUGHNESS?—NEVER!

## MAY CURTAIL THE INQUIRY.

The Lexow Committee May Do  
Nothing After Jan. 1.

Deputy Attorney-General Wanted as  
Counsel for the Future.

The Lexow Committee on Monday next will resume its investigation of municipal corruption. According to a statement made this morning by its counsel, Recorder-elect Goff, the committee will sit five days each week until the holidays. After that, however, the position which the committee will assume has not been decided. It is not regarded certain that public hearings will be kept up or that the committee will investigate after Jan. 1. If the latter course is followed, however, it will not follow that departments, other than the police, will be allowed to escape. On the contrary, it is suggested by some that other and more determined methods will be pursued.

It is known that there is a difference of opinion among lawyers and members of the committee as to the best course to be followed. Some are inclined to a belief that the object sought has been obtained, that corruption and blackmail in the Police Department have been fully laid bare, and that instead of going on with further expenses an attempt should be made to punish the criminals.



A WALL STREET GROUP.

where we cannot prosecute, and tell the criminal exactly what evidence we have against them. The result is they can flee the country if they want to, or spirit away our witnesses.

The Lexow Committee has until Jan. 1, next to report. It has been stated all along that on that day a simple report of progress would be made, and the time extended. This programme may all be changed in the event of Governor-elect Motion appointing a Deputy Attorney-General. He will certainly be asked to do so.

One man who will bitterly oppose any attempt to curtail the investigation is Lawyer Frank Moss, one of Mr. Goff's associate counsel. He is also a member of the Executive Committee of the Society for the Prevention of Crime. When told of the rumors he said to an "Evening World" reporter:

"I do not care what anybody says or thinks about this matter. I do not care to use Comm. Vanderbilt's expression concerning the public, for I think the public is a mighty big factor in this case. I propose to do just exactly what my Association wants and what my own common sense points out, namely, go ahead with the investigation for all it is worth. We will not pause or falter in the least. Excise and other departments may receive the attention of our Society."

Wm. Travers Jerome, another of the associate counsel, had heard the rumors. He declined, however, to speak concerning them.

"We have made it our policy from the start," he said, "not to talk in advance."

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## THAT SUGAR BLUFF.

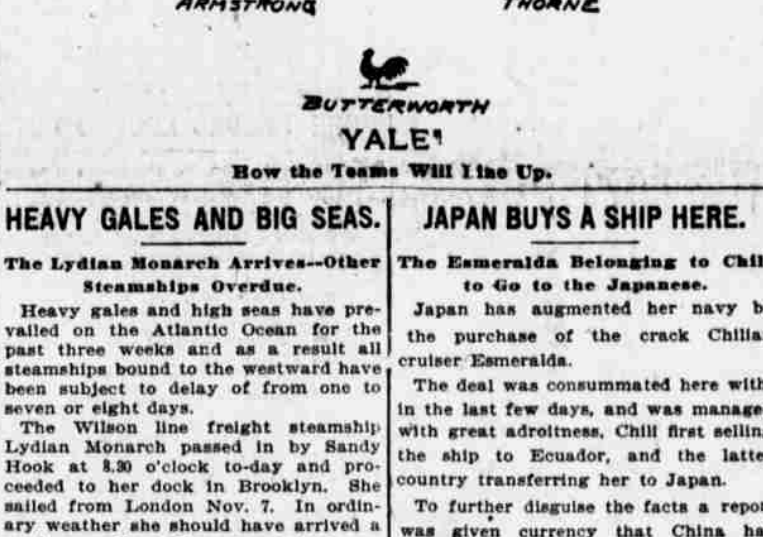
The Proposed Shut-Down of Re-  
fineries Will Help Senators.

Those Who Voted for a Tariff New  
Talk of Free Sugar.

But Secretary Searies Really Knows  
Nothing About It.

There was an impression in Wall street to-day that Senators Brice, Gorman, Smith and lesser lights, such as Camden and Vest, may take advantage of the closing of the sugar refineries to furnish an excuse for rehabilitating themselves by booming free sugar during the session.

The story was given color by an interview with Senator Smith in which he says that if the Sugar Trust closes its refineries now, thus throwing men out of work at the beginning of Winter, he will abandon the position he assumed last



A SURE PULLBACK.

season and become as strong an advocate for free sugar as he was against. He assumes to be very angry at the Trust, and declares that the threatened shut-down is intended to influence legislation, and that Congress should, in case refineries are closed, resent the action by making sugar free.

"The Price-Gorman-Smith-Camden crowd," said a source to-day, "may now adopt the same tactics as high police officials in endeavoring to establish themselves in the public estimation again."

"Having protected the public enemy," the Sugar Trust—during one session of Congress, they may now find an excuse in the threatened shut-down of refineries to carry out the will of their constituents. This is just as police officials have done after being criticised severely for protecting certain classes.

"It will be hard on the Trust, of course, just as it was hard on gamblers when they were compelled to cease operations, but the Senators realize that there is a limit to public toleration."

When Secretary Searies, of the Sugar Trust, was shown Senator Smith's published interview this morning, he said he did not care to criticize the New Jersey Senator, or even express an opinion as to what the result would be if he carried out his threat.

"Do you not think it possible that the Democratic Senators who voted for a duty on sugar at the last session may realize from the result of the recent election that they made a mistake, and therefore will become free sugar advocates during the short session?" Mr. Searies was asked.

"I have no idea what the Senators may do," he said. "No one can foretell the action of Congress."

"Is it likely that this Company may take warning from Senator Smith's interview and keep its refineries going?"

"I have no information that the refineries are going to close," was the answer. "So far as I know they will start up on Monday, as is usual after the Thanksgiving shut-down. I know nothing about the information Mr. Searies gave out in an interview last Wednesday. He knew his own mind."

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## KOLB TAKES THE OATH

Alarmed at His Followers' Aggres-  
siveness He Seeks Seclusion.

Sworn In by a Modest Justice of  
the Peace.

Delivers His Inaugural on a Street  
Corner.

(Special to The Evening World.)  
MONTGOMERY, Ala., Dec. 1.—Capt. Kolb took the oath of office as Governor of Alabama, in a quiet room in one of the side streets occupied by a Justice of the Peace.

The town is full of Kolbites, most of them armed with pistols and not a few having guns concealed in the straw in the bottom of their wagons.

They have been coming in in such numbers, and several of the hot-headed leaders have been doing so much wild talking, that Capt. Kolb decided to entirely abandon the programme issued



I NEVER GET HURT.

last night, by which he was to go to the Capitol to take the oath.

He was sworn to secretly that many of the Kolbites did not know that it was going on. The Kolbites are standing about the streets waiting for their procession to form. They are watching the State militia marching to and fro.

All the Populist candidates for State offices went one by one to the quiet little room. When they were sworn, Capt. Kolb took his stand on a corner in Court street and delivered his inaugural. His intention was to get as near the Capitol as possible.

This put an end to the chief cause for fear of a disturbance.

## OLLIE'S DAY TO HUSTLE.

He Must Get Wisker a Job or He  
Cannot Sleep.

Ollie Teal is doing the hustling act to-day, and he even neglected to pay his customary visit to Newspaper Row. His protegee, Thomas C. Wisker, is meantime taking things philosophically, and he hopes that when he meets Mr. Teal at 7 o'clock to-night, the latter will have secured him a new job.

Wisker—who is sometimes called Whiskers, by the ungodly—one of the Republican election district captains in the Second Assembly District, and to his pernicious activity in the recent campaign, is ascribed his summary dismissal yesterday from the United States Weigher's office, for the Fifth District.

Mr. Teal had promised him if he should be bounced, that he would not sleep until he had secured him a new job.

Mr. Wisker turned up with commendable promptness at noon to-day at the Weigher's office, to get his pay for the month. He was technically a laborer, assigned to the duties of a messenger, and he got \$2.50 a day.

"I allowed Mr. Teal to get a little sleep last night on account of Thanksgiving," Mr. Wisker said to an "Evening World" reporter, "but to-day he promised to hustle, and I hope he will get something for me."

## EMERICH TRIED TO DROWN HIMSELF.

Emrich Link, thirty-nine years old,  
of 25 Rivington street, jumped over-  
board from the ferry-boat Bergen, of  
the Barclay street ferry line, while the  
vessel was in midstream this morning.

He was rescued and taken to the Hudson Street Hospital.

When the boat was in midstream Link, who had been standing at the stern looking into the water, made a rush for the bow. Before any one could stop him he threw himself over the guard rail.

A life-preserver was thrown to him. He seized it and was assisted to the deck.

He said he had lost his position and felt despondent, but concluded he had better live.

He will be taken to the Tombs to-morrow morning.

## MISS TWOMBLY WILL GET WELL.

MADISON, N. J., Dec. 1.—The condition of Miss Alice Twombly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton McK. Twombly, is suffering from typhoid fever and a slight attack of pertussis. The physicians say Miss Twombly will recover.

Smoke "PROGRAMME."  
The New Virginia Cigarette, Co.

# LAST EDITION. NOW HARTMAN JUMPS OUT.

Another Assistant District-  
Attorney Hands in His  
Resignation.

## DATED IT BACK 24 HOURS

State! That His Colleagues De-  
manded that He Take  
This Step.

## COL. FELLOWS ACCEPTS IT.

A Direct Result of "The World's"  
Exposure of His  
Methods.

Assistant District-Attorney Henry  
Hartman has resigned.

He handed his resignation in person to District-Attorney Fellows in the latter's private office shortly before noon to-day. It is said that he prepared the letter in Col. Fellows's presence, after a consultation with him, and dated it twenty-four hours back, so that it would not appear that he resigned in consequence of the charges published against him in "The World" this morning.

Mr. Hartman sought to prepare the minds of the reporters to accept as a fact that his letter was written yesterday by telling them that he had contemplated such a move for some months. This was said by him before he saw Col. Fellows, but, unfortunately, Mr. Hartman said at the same time that he had not yet resigned but might do so.

Col. Fellows, it is said, insisted upon Mr. Hartman's resignation at the demand of the other Assistant District-Attorneys connected with the office.

One of the Assistant District-Attorneys this morning said that it was not bad that they were to be looked upon by the public as a set of lawyers because of Mr. Hartman's indiscreet action.

Col. Fellows said, after Mr. Hartman left him, that his resignation was dated yesterday and had been accepted. He neglected to add, however, the equally true fact that the date of yesterday was put on the letter this morning.

## FELLOWS STIRS UP WRATH.

Appointment of Lewis to Succeed  
Wellman Causes Dissatisfaction.

The appointment of John N. Lewis to be Chief Assistant District-Attorney in place of Francis L. Wellman has caused



THAT PERRY BIRD.

much anger among Tammany men, who were of the opinion that an active member of their organization should be awarded the plum. Other Assistant District-Attorneys are also said to be disappointed in Col. Fellows, as they had hopes of securing the place.

Mr. Lewis is a lawyer, with an office at 59 Liberty street. He is a Democrat, but has not been actively connected with Tammany Hall for a good many years. He is a native of this State, having been born in Malden, Ulster County, March 18, 1857, the same day Grover Cleveland was born.

Mr. Lewis lives at the Seventh Regiment Veteran Club and is a veteran of the civil war, having served with the Seventh, Twelfth and Thirtieth Reg-

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EN ROUTE TO THE GAME—CHAPPIES THAT PASS IN THE DAY.

